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HOUSE BILL 567

49TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2009

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AN ACT

RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES; AUTHORIZING SPECIAL FARM AND RANCH
COMMUNITY REGISTRATION PLATES; MAKING AN APPROPRIATION.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. A new section of the Motor Vehicle Code is
enacted to read:

"[NEW MATERIAL] SPECIAL FARM AND RANCH COMMUNITY
REGISTRATION PLATE.--

A. The department shall issue a standardized
special registration plate with a logo as specified in Section
66-3-424 NMSA 1978 indicating support for the New Mexico farm
and ranch community.

B. For a fee of thirty-five dollars (\$35.00), which
is in addition to the regular motor vehicle registration fees,
the owner of a vehicle may apply for issuance of a special farm

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1 and ranch community registration plate. The owner shall apply
2 for and pay the fee each year to retain and renew the special
3 farm and ranch community registration plate.

4 C. The revenue from the additional fee for the
5 special farm and ranch community registration plate shall be
6 distributed as follows:

7 (1) ten dollars (\$10.00) of the additional fee
8 shall be retained by and is appropriated to the department to
9 defray the cost of making and issuing the special farm and
10 ranch community registration plate; and

11 (2) twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) of the
12 additional fee collected shall be distributed to and is
13 appropriated to the farm and ranch heritage museum for
14 educational programs."
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